

**To:** Assunto, Carmen[Assunto.Carmen@epa.gov]  
**From:** Gray, David  
**Sent:** Wed 8/12/2015 2:11:48 PM  
**Subject:** FW: Let's cancel daily presser and congressional call tomorrow

You can issue this AFTER you see it from HQ

**From:** Purchia, Liz  
**Sent:** Wednesday, August 12, 2015 8:31 AM  
**To:** Harrison, Melissa; Distefano, Nichole  
**Cc:** Gray, David; McGrath, Shaun; Card, Joan; StClair, Christie; Zito, Kelly; Reynolds, Thomas; Ostrander, David; Hestmark, Martin; Smith, Paula; Vaught, Laura; Lee, Monica  
**Subject:** RE: Let's cancel daily presser and congressional call tomorrow

Advisory for the press availability is below.

We would like to send this out at 8:30AM MT/10:30 AM ET to press. We have a master list of media interested in the response we're maintaining at HQ.

JIC and Regions 6/9 should advise at that time if possible.

I think congressional notifies can begin now

**Contact:**

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**For Immediate Release**

Aug. 12, 2015

2:00 PM MDT: EPA Administrator Gina McCarthy Holding Media Availability in Durango, CO

# Deliberative Process/Ex. 5

**WHEN:** 2:00 PM MTN

**WHO:** EPA Administrator Gina McCarthy

**WHAT:** Administrator McCarthy media availability on the unified response to the Gold King Mine incident.

**WHERE:** Outside Gold King Mine Unified Command Center

2500 Main. Ave.  
Durango, CO 81301

**NOTE:** The media availability in Durango will take the place of today's media conference call.

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